

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

NAME Edward J. O'Loughlin		POSITION TITLE Environmental Chemist	
EDUCATION/TRAINING			
INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE (if applicable)	YEAR(s)	FIELD OF STUDY
Cleveland State University	B.S.	1986	Biology/Chemistry
Ohio State University	M.S.	1991	Environmental Microbiology
Ohio State University	Ph.D	1997	Environmental Chemistry

Positions and Honors:

Staff Scientist, Argonne National Laboratory 2001-present.

Postdoctoral Research Associate, Argonne National Laboratory 2000-2001.

Current research program is focused on the use of synchrotron radiation spectroscopic techniques to examine biogeochemical processes affecting the transformation of organic and inorganic contaminants. Current research interests include: 1) Reduction of U^{VI} by biogenic Fe^{II} -bearing minerals formed from microbial dissimilatory iron reduction; 2) reduction of organic contaminants by microbially reduced humic substances; 3) reduction of trace elements (e.g., U^{VI} , Hg^{II} , Cu^{II} , etc) by green rusts; 4) interaction of trace elements with microbial exopolysaccharides, bacteria, and iron oxyhydroxides; and 5) X-ray microprobe imaging of microbe-metal interactions.

National Research Council Postdoctoral Fellow, Tyndall Air Force Base 1997-2000.

Examined processes affecting the fate and transport of chlorinated hydrocarbons in subsurface environments. Specific projects included: 1) Reductive dehalogenation of chlorinated aliphatic hydrocarbons by green rusts; 2) investigation of the potential for humic-transition metal complexes to act as electron transport mediators in the reductive transformation of organic contaminants; and 3) design, construction and field-testing of flux chambers to measure TCE volatilization from TCE contaminated aquifers.

Graduate Research Assistant, Ohio State University 1987-1997.

Participated in many interdisciplinary research projects in the areas of environmental microbiology and environmental chemistry including: 1) isolation and characterization of aromatic *N*-heterocycle-degrading bacteria; 2) biodegradation of aromatic *N*-heterocycles in subsurface sediments; 3) sorption of atrazine and alachlor to subsurface sediments; 4) isolation and characterization of humic substances in lacustrine sediment porewaters; and 5) association of organometallic compounds with aquatic humic substances.

Selected peer-reviewed publications

O'Loughlin, E.J., P. Larese-Casanova, R.E. Cook, and M.M. Scherer. (In review). Biogenic green rust formation from dissimilatory iron reduction of lepidocrocite: Comparison of several *Shewanella* species. *Geomicrobiol. J.*

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- O'Loughlin, E.J.**, S.D. Kelly, K.M. Kemner, R. Csencsits, and R.E. Cook. 2003. Reduction of Ag^{I} , Au^{III} , Cu^{II} , and Hg^{II} by $\text{Fe}^{\text{II}}/\text{Fe}^{\text{III}}$ hydroxysulfate green rust. *Chemosphere* 53: 437-446.
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